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## <u>LETTER SUBMITTING ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS FOR ENTERING NATIONAL PHASE FOR A PCT APPLICATION</u>

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Under the provisions of 27 C.F.R. 1.495, attached hereto are the following additional items necessary for entering the national phase in connection with the above-identified PCT international application.

	Attached is a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements (371 Formalities Letter).
$\boxtimes$	Attached is the Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney M Original Photocopy.
	The specification attached to the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney is a true copy of the specification that was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 15, 2006, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.
$\boxtimes$	The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. 5376-0101PUS1" on page 1 of the attached Inventors' Declaration corresponds to Appl. No.10/579,141 filed

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Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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